

ABSTRACT

The present invention is configured such that,
in a multicast service providing system in which multicast
5 information distribution service is made from an
information distributing apparatus to radio terminals
present within a service area via a radio section, the
radio terminal has service continuation request signal
transmitting a service continuation request signal for
10 requesting continuation of the multicast information
distribution service to the information distributing
apparatus, the information distributing apparatus has
service continuation management means managing as to
whether or not request for the service continuation has
15 been made by the radio terminal for the multicast
information distribution service, and the information
distributing apparatus transmits information indicating as
to whether or not continuation request has been made for
the multicast information distribution service managed by
20 the service continuation management means.